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GRAY HOSTS OF SOUTH PASS IN GRAND REVIEW BEFORE THE PRESIDENT

25,000 United Confederate Veterans, Sons of Veterans and Military Men March Up The Avenue Cheered by Thousands.

MARTIAL AIRS OF 60'S STIR CAPITAL; MANY OLD BATTLE FLAGS CARRIED

Wearers of Blue and Gray March Together in Living Proof That the Potomac No Longer Marks a Divided Nation.

Washington today staged a spectacle for the world. Soldiers in gray who fought for a "Lost Cause" more than fifty years ago were escorted by veterans in blue against whom they had fought with utmost bitterness, through the heart of the Nation's Capital, which they had almost succeeded in capturing by assault.

Together they marched past the President of the United States as living proof to the world that there is no north or south in the United States today, but one reunited country, "thinking and acting together" against the nation's enemy in defense of the principle of liberty so firmly established by their strife. The Stars and Bars of the Confederacy and the Stars and Stripes of the Union, tenderly carried, fell lovingly together when dipped in salute as they passed the

The Line of March.

parade as they passed.

The United States Marine Band, play-

Favorites Are Applauded. Then came the escorts on fretted

Hamilton, commanding.

Escort, citizens of the District of Columbia, Melvin C. Hazen, commanding.

Escort, United Spanish War Veterans,
Lee H. Harris, commander, Department of the District of Columbia, command-

Escort, 2d Corps Association, Army of the Potomac, Col. Myron M. Parker, president, commanding.

The Lone Star Band of Waxahachie,

Tex., recognized as one of the finest of ganizations of the kind in the souther

That the same spirit that prompted hem to do valiant service in defense of their homes and state rights in the six-heir homes and state rights in the six-head of Alabama, clothed in Confedties is still warm in the breasts of the offers of service shouted to President

can't do it." A sign that attracted the attention of the President read in letters for his country, right or wrong."

"Sons of 1917" in Line Also.

ey are being trained for serv-France against Germany; inartillery, cavalry and coast arthe cadets from Virginia Institute. Here was a hint to ere their sons and grand-

where commander-in-chief, Gen. George P. Harrison, who was escorted by a groun of Grand Army men from the feecond Corps Association, leaffer. The second and matter commander-in-chief, Gen. George P. Harrison, who was escorted by a feecond Corps Association, and the feeton corps association and the feeton corps association, and the feeton corps association and the feeton corps association, and the feeton corps association and the feeton

A few minutes after 10 o'clock the grand marshal signaled to march. Maj. Raymond W. Pullman rode at the head of a platoon of mounted police. As Col. Hilary A. Herbert, former Secretary of the Navy, the grand marshal, and Col. Robert E. Lee, son of the great Confederate veteran, who is chief of staff, and their aids rode out into Pennsylvania avenue there was cheering from the large crow'd gathered near the monument, and the enthusiasm rippled all along the route of the parade as they passed. Among those taking and decorated with the difference of the states were represented by Miss Elsie Schneider, Edith Adams, Portia Harrah, Elaine Lazaro, Eloise Lazaro, Buffy Schneider, Edith Adams, Portia Harrah, Elaine Lazaro, Eloise Lazaro, Buffy Schneider, Margaret Prentiss, Lee Loyl, Virginia Griffith, Gertrude Yung Kwai, Marie Tunstall and Louise Gardner.

This float was designed and decorated under the direction of Victor Evans.

Washington's appreciation of the presence of the veterans was officially attested by the participation in the parade of a number of prominent citizens, business and civic leaders who have been working on committees for the comfort and entertainment of the city's guests. ing "Dixie," thrilled the throngs, which were made up largely of visitors from the south, many of whom had never the heard this famous group of musicians.

Veterans Favored by Weather.

Today's celebration was well favored to weather, and the conditions ompted many to refer to the oftende suggestion that the inaugural te should be changed. The day wined dark and dreary, but before the dawned dark and dreary, but before the veterans began their march the sun had broken through the clouds, although not entirely dispersing them. Ideal weather smiled upon the old soldiers, the day being not too hot for the comfort of the marchers. Just after the Confederate veteran section had passed the reviewing stand the rain began

ganizations of the kind in the southern states, in their natty uniforms, played as they never played before, under the direction of J. M. King, who had ten relatives who served honorably in the war. With the band was Patrick W. Simms, under whose management this organization has attracted marked attention at all the recent Confederate reunions.

'Cheers and rebel yells and the waving of United States flags and the "Stars and Bars" held in the same hand attested the strong fraternal feeling that exists between the people of the north and the south. This was especially marked in front of the Grand Army Hall, near the corner of 14th (Continued on Second Page.) passed the reviewing stand the rain began.

The last of the parade passed the White House reviewing stand at 12:20, President and Mrs. Wilson remaining until the end, notwithstanding the shower. The heavy rain began just in time thoroughly to soak the Officers' Reserve Corps from Fort Myer, the District of Columbia National Guard and the High School Cadets.

One of the most interesting inclidents in connection with the parade was the fact that Chief Justice White of the Supreme Court of the United States left the presidential reviewing stand when the Louisiana veterans approached and marched past with his old com-

3,200 MEN LIKELY TO BE CALLED HERE

This Is Estimated Number of First Draft in the Capital.

GENERAL POLICY OUTLINED

About 3,200 men, or approximately 0 per cent of the young men of the who registered Tuesday, will be called in the first selective draft, number, it is believed, will be the first Capital. While absolutely unofficial i is expected the number stated will selected in the first draft.

A board of army officers, designated by the War Department and approved ranging the details of the first draft and devising or perfecting the machin ery by means of which it is to be

No intimation as to the plan to b than Secretary Baker's expressed belief that something like the jury wheel, used in many places for drawing veniremen, will be used in selecting the names of those to be drawn first. Men whose names are drawn then must pass the physical examination, and their claims for exemption will be considered

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Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder last night made this statement in regard to registration and the draft which is to follow shortly:

"Registration marks the completion of the first well defined step in the execution of the selective service law. The actual recording has been practically finished in a single day, but the arrangement and copying of the cards, their segregation into apprepriate groups, the publication of lists and the garnering in of delayed registrations will consume a week or ten days. In the meantime the machinery of the registration is being readjusted to serve as machinery for the further execution of the law. This work is proceeding rapidly and should be work is proceeding rapidly and should be completed coincidently with the tying up of the loose ends of registration. "When this is all done regulations gov-erning the jurisdiction of the local boards will be issued and the machinery will then The line of march, was west along Pennsylvania avenue to 15th street, north on 15th street to Pennsylvania avenue, west to 17th street, to park, except the second and third grand divisions, which continued on Pennsylvania avenue to 15th street, north on 15th street and disbanded.

The first four sections of the parade, including the mounted police, the grand marshal, the United States Marine Band and the detachment of the United States cavalry, marched along Pennsylvania avenue past 11th street and came to a halt.

The Sons of Confederate Veterans and military organizations halted at the

Maj. Robert L. Longstreet, son of Lideut. Gen. James Longstreet, son of Lideut. Gen. James Longstreet of the parade. There were probably 25,000 persons in the parade, including besides the veteran and military organizations the sons of Confederate Veterzas, United Sons of the Confederate Veterzas, United Sons of honors serving and sponsors, maids of honors matrons and sponsors, maids of honors and state representations.

The old soldiers were astir early to day and before 7 o'clock their gray uniforms were conspicuous in all the convergence of the willing of the Virginia Military in Stitute also attracted the attention of the march was enlivened by a doze of the march was an one of popular bands and fife and drum the entire southland. The United Confederate Confederate

draft."
It was intimated at the provost marshal general's office yesterday that so much of the preliminary work had already been done that the board's task might be completed within two weeks, though no definite statement to this effect could be made. If the board is able, however, to arrange the details of the first draft in the suggested time the actual draft, it was said, would not be long delayed thereafter.

Then came the escorts on fretted steeds, and groups gathered here and there along the curbstones applauded their favorites as they passed: Escort, Troops B and D, 2d Regiment, United States Cavalry, Maj. George F. AMERICAN FOOD EXPORTS SHOWING A STEADY GAIN

Change Since Falling Off on Account of German U-Boat Unrestricted Warfare.

American food exports, which fell off with the beginning of Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare, are now showing a steady gain. Food shipments in April reached a total value of \$98,000, 000 against \$84,000,000 in March and \$67. 000,000 in February. Their total in Apri the country's record month.

Breadstuffs shipments in April amount ed to \$58,500,000, which was \$16,000,000 more than in March, \$18,000,000 more than n February and only \$4,500,000 less than in January. Meat exports in April were valued at \$37,000,000 against \$40,000,000 in March, \$27,000,000 in February and \$40,000,000 in January.
Cottonseed oil exports of nearly \$4,000,000 in April were the heaviest since the war began.



U. S. ARMY WHEAT AMICABLY SETTLED

Soldiers and Workmen Agree Recognize Authority of Pro-

PETROGRAD, via London, June 7 .-The Kronstadt incident is closed. The amittee of soldiers' and work men's delegates has recognized the authority of the provisional govern

The so-called Kronstadt republic surrendered unconditionally to the pro visional government. The peace agreement was signed by Anatole Lamanoff, president of the Kronstadt council of soldiers' and workmen's delegates. It was negotiated on behalf of the provisional government by M. Tseretelli, minister of posts and telegraphs, and M. Skobeleff, minister at labor, who at rived in Kronstadt on Tuesday.

What Agreement Says.

with the Kronstadt executive. The mi with complete authority in the state, we on our side also recognize that authority. Krondstadt further agrees to submit its choice of civil administrators for the approval of the provisional government, making them responsible to Petrograd. An overwhelming majority of the Kronstadt council of deputies voted for the surgender.

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The executive committee of the Kron-stadt group of workmen's and soldiers' delegates has adopted a resolution dis-avowing any intention of separating from Russia or of forming an inde-pendent republic, and declaring that, on the contrary, they will continue to recognize the provisional government until an all-Russian central council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates is able to take the central authority in its own hands.

Strike Is Averted.

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The threatened strike in 140 factories in Petrograd engaged in metal manufactures and other war work, which was fixed for yesterday, was averted. The strikers' claims were granted, including the six-hour day. The first Congress of Zionists of all Russia met here yesterday. Five hundred delegates were present.

Gen. Michael Alexieff, who recently retired from the chief command of the Russian armies, has been appointed a military adviser of the provisional government.

Explosive Blast in Petrograd Harbor LONDON, June 7 .- An explosion in Petrograd harbor on Tuesday, as a result of an accident, caused a fire in which a great quantity of explosives, which had just arrived from England, were destroyed, the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company reports. A number of persons are said to have been killed.

TROY, N. Y., June 7.—St. Joseph's Provisional Home, one of the largest of its kind in the state, and formerly St. Joseph's Seminary, was struck by lightning at about 2 o'clock this morning and set on fire. All of the 200 sistems are said to have been killed.

scribers is 10,865.

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LANDED IN FRANCE

Collier Jupiter Carries First of Supplies Over Atlantic for Pershing's Forces.

CONVOYED BY WARSHIPS

PARIS, Wednesday, June 6, 11 p.m.-The ministry of marine announced tonight that American warships have anchored off the French coast. The announcement adds:

"The French navy greets with joy on their arrival these new brothers in arms, who, under the flag of the great American republic, have come to participate until final victory in the struggle against the common enemy."

PARIS, June 7 .- A large American

have been established for American aviators. None of the American officers is bringing his family. The Matin says the arrival of the

transport means that the provisioning of the army is well under way before the arrival of the troops, and that, accordingly, the American forces will make no call on the French stock of food

Carried 10,500 Tons of Supplies.

The naval collier Jupiter has arrived in France, Secretary Daniels announced today, laden with 10,500 tons of wheat and other supplies. The ship sailed from an American port without any intimation of her voyage having been given out in advance, and is now at anchor in a French port.

Lightning Strikes Catholic Home.

INACTIVITY OF U-BOATS **ENCOURAGING TO ALLIES**

Members of Italian War Mission Point to Decrease in Tonnage Destroyed Last Week.

ne allies are making steady progress in heir efforts to cope with the menace. The Italian view is believed to reflect he allied view of the hopeful news that only fifteen vessels of more than 1,600 ons and but three of less than that ton-

ish ports was sunk.

Members of the Italian mission today reviewed the Confederate parade from the court of honor before the White House, upon invitation of Secretary Lansing. Later they went to the Leiter home and were in conference with the Italian ambassador. This afternoon they will continue discussions with American officials relative to shipping coal and buying raw materials.

transport, containing wheat for American troops which are to come later, has crossed the Atlantic under the protection of an American warship, the Matin announces. The transport is now being unloaded at a French port, the newspaper says.

Preparations are being made for the reception of American troops, the newspaper says further. A number of bases paper says further. A n

territory.

British and French missions are now known to have discussed with Jewish leaders of this country, including Associate Justice Brandels of the United States Supreme Court, the Zionist Palestine has their heartiest co-opera

Not Only a Sentimental Value.

rer Russian armies, has been appointed a military adviser of the provisional government.

Ordered to Front.

War Minister Kerensky has directed from an American port without any intimation of her voyage having been that all officers employed with the Red that all officers employed with the Red hind the lines and all rank and file under the age of forty years in those services be sent to the front within three weeks.

Arthur Henderson, British minister without portfolio; Albert Thomas, French minister of munitions, and portfolio; Albert Thomas, in thou portfolio; Albert Thomas, and portfolio; Albert Thomas, and some in the world to adopt this type only one in the world to adopt this type of munitions, have sent a letter to the gates expressing surprise that a call had been issued by the council for an international conference to consider means of ending the war.

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Guglielmo Marconi tomorrow will address members of the National Press Club.

PROTEST FOOD SITUATION.

Great Demonstrations Held by the

closed.
The dispatch adds that all stores in

Christiania shut their doors, that the gas works and electrical plants are idle and that nearly all the workmen

HAIG STRIKES HARD ON BELGIAN FRONT

British Sweep Nine Miles of Commander of Armed Guard. German Positions on Messines-Wytschaete Ridge.

blow at the German lines in Belgium, striking early this morning along a Arkansas, commanded the armed guard

further progress is reported to be serves it." A million pounds of explosives were let loose under the German first line. While a considerable stretch separates While a considerable stretch separates the field of this new offensive from that of Arras, the operation may be considered as in conjunction with the continuing battle on the Arras front. A sweeping salient in front of the city of Lille has been created by the Arras attack and in a broad sense this salient is now under threat from both the north and the south.

Gains North of Scarpe.

that the British offensive from Arras had come to a halt, Gen. Haig proved that he had not lost his initiative there by making a successful drive to the scuth of Lens, carrying a mile of the German front north of the Scarpe yesterday.

The reverberations from this blow had hardly died away before today's attack was launched on the carry's at-

More than 1,000,000 pounds of high

The British in their attack approbably 20 per cent more guins, especially those of heavy calibers, than they employed in the battle of Arras.

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The fighting continues under a midsummer sun. The Germans have not rallied for the expected counter attack.

French Check Germans.

PARIS, June 7.—A strong force of Germans made an attack northwest of St. Quentin at midnight. Today's official announcement says the attackers were caught under a violent French fire and retired after sustaining heavy losses. The statement follows:

"In the region northwest of St. Quentin a strong force of Germans attempted at a front of about 600 yards. Our fire, delivered with violence and precision, and the continued on the front south of Filain.

"North of the Chemin-des-Dames heavy artillery fighting continued on the front south of Filain.

"Two German airplanes were brought down on June 6. Supplementary information now at hand establishes definitely that three more German machines have been brought down by our pilots on June 3, 4 and 5."

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river and the Laon road and northwest of Braye-en-Laonnois, the Germans delivered several attacks at various points in this sector. Two attempts against the Bois du Mortier, north of Vauxallon, broken down immediately by our fire, gave to the enemy no other result than appreciable losses.

"The Germans concentrated their efforts north of the Chemin des Dames, where they attacked on the front of Pantheon-La Coyere farm. The enemy attack, repulsed in its entirety, was not able to reach our lines except at one point south of Filain. In the neighborhood of our Bovettes salient, after a stubborn engagement, some trenche elements of the first line remained in the hands of the enemy. Everywhere else our assaliants were driven back to their own trenches."

Germans Claim a Gain.

their own trenches."

People Throughout Norway.

LONDON, June 7.—A dispatch to the Central News from Christiania says that great demonstrations against the unsatisfactory food situation were held throughout Norway Wednesday. The government, with a view to preventing rioting, prohibited the sale of alcoholic beverages for three days, and as a result of this order the restaurants were closed.

The dispatch adds that all stores to BERLIN, June 7, via London, 4:41

Heavy Motor Craft to Be Built.

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PENSACOLA, Fla., June 7.—Six onethousand-ton motor schooners are to
be built by F. F. Bingham for the
United States government, provided the
proposal of Mr. Bingham is satisfactory to the shipping board, and it is
known that those having the immediate supervision of this work will
make a favorable recommendation.
Each vessel is to be equipped with a
street parade. A deputation of the
demonstrators was received by the
president of the storthing.

ONE CENT.

W. J. Clark, May Be Promoted in Navy.

BIG BATTLE CONTINUES LAUDED BY MR. DANIELS

warrant officer from the battlesh nine-mile front on the Messines- aboard the American steamer Silver-Wytschaete ridge, between Ypris and shell which sunk a German submarine in the Mediterranean. "It was a splen-Success marked the opening of the did piece of work," Secretary Daniels ffensive, the British winning all their said today, "and we are now consider initial objectives and pushing on. Their ing promotion for Clark, who well de-

The Navy Department received word some days ago of the action between the Silvershell and the submarine. Inquiries were made promptly of the naval gun crew at the port where the ship had arrived, and the account of the battle was confirmed. Secretary Daniels said his advices added nothing to details of the fight already published.

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lished.

As turret captain of the dreadnaught Arkansas Clark has held high rating among warrant officers for the navy, and was selected to command the guard on the Silvershell because of his ability and steadiness, proven through years of naval service. In some other instances warrant officers are in command of gun crews, although in the majority of cases the men are under commissioned officers.

Secretary Daniels did not say what grade he was contemplating for Clark.

Ship Referred to Yesterday.

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The Silvershell is the steamer referred to in yesterday's State Department announcement as having sumk a German submarine after an exchange of sixty shots in a running fight of an hour and a half.

The State Department did not announce the name of the steamer because it has been this government's policy not to disclose the names of ships having engagements with submersibles, because officials feel it marks the ship for further attack, as they believe was the case with the Mongolise. That vessel, after having once been identified with a submarine encounter, has repeatedly been attacked, as though the submarine flotilla had set about especially to destroy the vessel which had the timerity to engage it with such

Engagement Is Highly Creditable to Americans. Says Admiral Lacaze

PARIS, June 7.—The American steamer Silvershell has had a battle with a submarine in the Mediterranean. After an exchange of sixty shots, the sub-

Socialists Threaten Withdrawal. The official statement, issued by the war office last night, reads:

"This morning, after the bombardment of our positions between the Allette river and the Laon road and northwest of Braye-en-Laonnois, the Germans deriver and the Laon road and sorthwest of Braye-en-Laonnois, the Germans deriver and the Laon road and northwest of Braye-en-Laonnois, the Germans deriver and the Laon road and morthwest of Braye-en-Laonnois, the Germans deriver and public here today by N. A. Richardson member of the state executive

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over 14% in the circulation of The Sun+! day Star is a fine indication of the activity that is going on in Washington,

35,000-